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**Second Annual "Yellowstone Days" Celebration
Kicks off June 6th, 2008 in Livingston**

Planning a trip to Yellowstone Park in early June? Why not combine your park trip with a special weekend celebration in Montana's Gateway Cities to Yellowstone. In 2007, the first "Yellowstone Days" celebrated the return of the Yellow Buses to Yellowstone Park. These yellow touring buses built by White Motor Company of Cleveland, Ohio, transported thousands of visitors through the park. This year, "Yellowstone Days" has been expanded to additional cities and a second week of fun-filled events.

On Friday, June 6th "Yellowstone Days" kicks off in Livingston, Montana from 1:00 – 9:00 PM. Music, Arts & Crafts, a Vendor's Market, Vintage Cars, Smokey the Bear and kids' activities will be held at Miles Park along the Yellowstone River. Don't miss the great food and guest speakers. There will be free rides in a refurbished Yellow Bus through the historic districts. For more information, call Livingston at (406) 222-0850.

On Saturday, June 7th the festivities move to Gardiner, Montana with a full day of activities from 10:00AM – 9:00 PM in Arch Park. An Arts & Crafts fair, music, educational session and film festival will take place along with a 5K Fun Run/Walk. Brunch and dinner will be served. For more information and to register for the Fun Run, call Gardiner at (406) 848-2466 or email info@gardinerchamber.com.

On Sunday, June 8th Cooke City, Montana is the host for "Yellowstone Days". Travel through Yellowstone Park's wildlife-rich Lamar Valley to reach your destination. The celebration continues here featuring activities, guest speakers, great food, and unique shopping and gallery

attractions. Free rides on the Yellow Bus will be offered during the event from 10:00 AM – 5:00 PM. For more information, call Cooke City at (406) 838-2495.

From June 11 through June 15, “Yellowstone Days” continues in the Town of West Yellowstone. Starting with a four-day Centennial celebrating its 100th Birthday, the festivities kick off at the Yellowstone Historic Center Museum in the Union Pacific Depot with a slate of speakers, including Union Pacific Railroad representatives, state and local government officials, and nationally-known historians.

Activities include a film festival highlighting railroad history and an historic exhibit of stagecoaches from the National Stagecoach and Freight Association. The “Buffalo Roam” exhibit features the return of the painted buffalo and new painted “calves”. An Art Show of northwest regional art and artists will also be hosted June 13-15th. The newly-established “Buses of Yellowstone Trust” will exhibit several fully-restored yellow buses and provide some complementary rides. For more information, call West Yellowstone at 406-646-7701.